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Dear Mr. Hanover,

Sorry it took so long to dig out and xerox the enclosed article about Clay Shaw as a wtiness in a New York ITM commissions suit. The extra is in case Lawrence wants one as a souvenir.

Tra-Mar seems a likely contraction of Trade Mart.

Because I was curious about this, I asked a bright young friend in New York to try and check it out. Not knowing how the case was filed, it became an impossibility for him.

However, if you can learn this through trade sources, I am certain he'd do whatever can be done to get any facts you might want in addition to what I do. Our interests are different, of course, because they beat you out of your fee and I am only curious and desirous of filling out a picture.

Whether or not you want to carry it further in your own interest, I'd be interested in anything you might be able to learn about this case.

My friend located and spoke to the reporter, who didn't recall any of the details. His only purpose was a human-interest story.

If there is anything I can do to help, let me know. I may be in New Orleans again in a couple of months. If I am, I have a dependable friend who was with the ITM when you began your contract. He knows all the people involved well, likes some, but always spoke to me frankly. From what I learned when I was there, which cannot be the entire story, I'd suspect that Cobb did it to you.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg